

Respectfully submitted,
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BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS OCTOBER REPORT

Legal Department—South

Prosecutions for violation of Section 17 of the State Medical Practice Act, October 1 to 31, 1920, inclusive.

Police Court Trials.

October 4, People vs. Messick, No. 4064, Van Nuys, Los Angeles Co.
" 16, " " Peterson, No. 4123, Los Angeles, Los Angeles County.

Preliminary Hearings.

October 27, People vs. Staben, No. 584, Pomona, Los Angeles County.

New Complaints Filed.

October 6, People vs. Berry, No. 10, Anaheim, Orange County.
" 25, " " Morse, No. 43621, Los Angeles, Los Angeles County.
" 25, " " Shaffer, No. 43620, Los Angeles, Los Angeles County.

For violation of Section 274, Penal Code—
(Criminal abortion).

October 26, People vs. Zimmerman, No. 34338, Los Angeles, Los Angeles County.

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Counties Covered.

North
Alameda
Monterey
Sacramento
San Francisco
Santa Clara
Sonoma
Tehama
Yuba

South
Orange
Los Angeles

Collected Clippings on Medical Law Enforcement

The People of the State of California vs. Galen R. Hickok

That Galen R. Hickok, so-called, is running true to form, according to recent developments. It will be remembered that he was arrested, charged with abortion and contributing to the delinquency of a minor, when the famous "mystery house" at Salada Beach was raided. Rumor that he was traveling under an assumed name for some years was apparently demonstrated by receipt of a letter from G. R. Hickok of Santanta, Kansas, stating that the man under arrest in San Francisco stole the diploma and papers of the Kansas Hickok in 1902. He was then known as Thompson. He is reported to have come West, and thereafter used the stolen credentials to register in Nevada and California. He was licensed in California as a "naturopath" in 1909. Details are given in the Sacramento Bee, September 16th.

R. C. Poindexter, colored "healer," who, as the "Prince of India," was ordered out of Long Beach some six years ago, has recently been arrested in Seattle, Wash., on a similar charge, according to the Long Beach Press of September 3rd.

J. H. Reardon, unlicensed chiropractor, was arrested September 9th at Hermosa on a charge of violating the Medical Practice Act, says the Hermosa Review of September 10th.

Fred Scholander, unlicensed chiropractor, charged

with violation of the Medical Practice Act, was given a preliminary hearing at Turlock August 4th, according to the Turlock Tribune of August 6th.

A "hot legal fight" is promised in the Los Angeles courts by J. E. Staben, unlicensed chiropractor, arrested at Pomona August 6th for violation of the Medical Practice Act, says the Pomona Bulletin of August 7th.

The Modesto News of August 5th details the arrest of N. S. Sue, Chinese herbalist, on a charge of violation of the Medical Practice Act and his release on \$300 cash bail.

An interesting feature of the arrest of High Wan Tong, Chinese herbalist, at Chico, was the alleged finding and seizure of a complete opium outfit, according to the Sacramento Union of August 20th.

Delbert Tracy, unlicensed chiropractor, was arrested at Pasadena August 8th for violation of the Medical Practice Act, according to the Pasadena Star of August 9th.

C. E. Walker, unlicensed chiropractor, was arrested at Grass Valley August 23rd for violation of the Medical Practice Act, and, according to the Sacramento Bee of August 24th, was released on \$100 bond.

Hong Wong and Fong Cetoon, Chinese herbalists, were fined \$200 and \$100 respectively by Judge B. K. Knight at Santa Cruz, following conviction upon a charge of practicing medicine without a license.—Santa Cruz News, August 27th.

Chew Yuen a well-known Chinese herbalist of Red Bluff, was arrested August 17th, charged with violation of the Medical Practice Act. According to the Sacramento Bee, August 18th, he was arrested two years ago on the same charge and acquitted.

Mar Jok, Chinese herbalist, was held in Modesto to the Superior Court on a charge of violating the Medical Practice Act, and released on \$300 bail, according to the Modesto Herald, September 3rd.

B. Y. Gwan, Chinese herbalist, was arrested at Marysville by Assistant Special Agent Favatt for violating the Medical Practice Act, and was released on \$250 cash bail, according to the Sacramento Union, August 22nd.

Devious Ways of the Transgressor

The Sacramento Bee of September 2nd says that Dr. Ernest A. Dozier, sued by the city of Redding for a municipal tax of \$10, has carried the case of appeal to the Superior Court. Dr. Dozier is also delinquent in failing to pay his State tax under the Medical Act.

Mrs. Elena Rinetti, unlicensed midwife, was discharged on July 14th upon the charge of murder of Belle Palencia as the result of an illegal operation, according to the Los Angeles Examiner of July 15th.

Dr. Homer Edwards, 1066 Market street, San Francisco, was arrested on September 4th, accused of performing an illegal operation. His license was revoked on December 15, 1915, by the Board of Medical Examiners.

Fisher Jordan was arrested September 4th in San Francisco, charged with performing an illegal operation on a girl 20 years old, according to the San Francisco News of September 4th. The San Francisco Chronicle of July 17th says that Jordan lost his right to practice medicine and surgery in California when the District Court of Appeals affirmed the judgment of the Superior Court which upheld the Medical Board in its action in revoking his license. He was arrested July 2, 1918, for performing an illegal operation on Mrs. Mary Mooney of Oakland.

James E. Thompson was denied a new trial and gave notice of appeal, following his sentence to two to five years in San Quentin prison by Judge L. S. Church of Alameda county upon conviction of performing an illegal operation. His license was revoked in February, 1920. Thompson has appeared in the courts of Alameda county on three

previous occasions on charges of performing illegal operations. On one former charge he jumped a heavy bail, fled to Mexico, and was returned by the police. It is reported that he served time in Leavenworth prison on a similar charge.

Dr. Reine Hartzell of Los Angeles and Pasadena was arrested at Burlingame on September 3rd on a charge by prohibition enforcement officers of unlawful possession of whisky, according to the San Francisco Chronicle, September 4th.

The San Francisco Examiner of July 16th says that the State Supreme Court refused release on a writ of habeas corpus to Ephraim Northcott, now serving a ten years' sentence at San Quentin prison for the murder of Inez Reed by an illegal operation.

The San Diego Union, September 2nd, says that Alfred T. Sander was arrested for practicing medicine without a license, his license having been revoked. He was arrested late in July on a similar charge and a large quantity of narcotics was found in his possession and seized. He then petitioned the Superior Court for a writ of mandate against the Board of Examiners.

State Board of Medical Examiners LICENSING EXAMINATION.

BACTERIOLOGY AND PATHOLOGY.

Physicians and Surgeons.

October 20, 1920.

LEMUEL P. ADAMS, M. D.

1. Give technique of testing the coagulation time of blood.
2. Give the usual location of multiple echinococcus cysts.
3. (a) What is Trichinosis?
(b) Give the usual blood findings in same.
4. Describe briefly the Necropsy technic in a chest examination.
5. Give the urinary findings in
(a) an acute nephritis;
(b) Renal tuberculosis.
6. What are the recognized types of Tubercle bacilli?
Mention three diseases in which the question of secondary infection is of importance.
7. Give the etiology of a
(a) Vegetative endocarditis;
(b) Colloid goitre.
9. What information may be gained by a duodenal rubber tube examination?
10. Mention the results that follow trophic disturbances of the skin.
11. Classify brain tumors and give relative frequency of each.
12. (a) Give the etiology of septic teeth.
(b) Mention some of the possible results.
(Answer ten questions only.)

PATHOLOGY AND ELEMENTARY BACTERIOLOGY.

Drugless Practitioners.

October 20, 1920.

LEMUEL P. ADAMS, M. D.

1. Mention some of the results occurring from septic teeth.
2. Differentiate osteo-myelitis and sarcoma of bone.
3. Give the biology of aneurysms.
4. (a) Give name of a gas bacillus;
(b) mode of infection.
5. What is shock?
6. Mention four of the bacterium that are normally present in the mouth and throat.
7. What is meant by the term "sepsis"?
(a) Mention two types of malaria.
(b) Give the etiology.
9. Give the cause of enlarged glands.
(a) What is meant by a Wassermann Reaction?
(b) A Widal Test?
11. (a) Mention the characteristics of the Streptococcus Group;
(b) Staphylococcus Group.
12. (a) What is erysipelas?
(b) Carbuncle?
(Answer ten questions only.)

PATHOLOGY AND BACTERIOLOGY.

Chiropradists.

October 20, 1920.

LEMUEL P. ADAMS, M. D.

1. Mention three pathogenic bacteria.
2. Name two malignant tumors and give their location.
3. (a) What is an ulcer?
(b) phlebitis?
4. How long does it take a nail to regenerate?
5. What is the matrix?
6. Define a felon-inflammation.

7. Describe best method of instrument sterilization.
8. How do wounds heal?
9. What is an ulcer-abscess?
10. How is buillon media prepared?
11. What is edema?
12. Describe local appearance of an osteomyelitis.
(Answer ten questions only.)

CHIROPODY AND THERAPEUTICS.

Chiropradists.

October 19, 1920.

ROBERT A. CAMPBELL, M. D.

1. Discuss infection of the nails.
2. Name the antiseptics used in chiropody and state when and how they are used.
3. Discuss the treatment of fallen arch.
4. Give treatment of bunions.
5. What causes varicosities of the feet?
6. Discuss causes of gangrene of feet.
7. Give technique for treatment of a hard corn.
8. What is hammer toe? Give causes and treatment.
9. Give treatment of burns.
10. Give treatment of ingrowing nails.
11. Discuss a local infection and give treatment.
12. Discuss the causes of ulcers affecting the feet.
(Answer ten questions only.)

MATERIA MEDICA THERAPEUTICS. PHARMACOLOGY AND PRESCRIPTION WRITING.

October 19, 1920.

Physicians and Surgeons.

ROBERT A. CAMPBELL, M. D.

1. Give symptomatology of Hyperthyroidism and definite treatment.
2. Write a prescription for whooping cough in a child two years old, and give the indication for each ingredient.
3. Discuss the therapeutic possibilities of Belladonna.
4. Give symptomatology produced by Nux Vomica when given to the full physiological effect.
5. Discuss the care and treatment of a case of Scarlet Fever.
6. Discuss mechanical treatment of Pott's Disease.
7. Give three conditions causing abdominal pain and the medicinal treatment for each.
8. Discuss the cause and give treatment of nocturnal incontinence in children.
9. Outline the treatment for a case of peripheral neuritis.
10. (a) Why should normal urine be acid in reaction?
(b) Name three drugs which will make it acid.
(c) Name three which will make it alkaline.
11. Name three organotherapy products. Give the therapeutic indications for each.
12. Discuss the therapeutics of
(a) Hot water;
(b) Cold water.
(Answer ten questions only.)

PHYSIOLOGY.

Physicians and Surgeons and Drugless Practitioners.

October 21, 1920.

C. J. GADDIS, D. O.

1. State function and give location of three internal secreting glands.
2. What is fatigue?
3. (a) What is the physiology of hunger and of thirst?
(b) How is life sustained for weeks when food is denied?
4. Give function of walls or coats of the stomach.
5. Describe the mechanism and physiology of phonation.
6. Describe and tell reasons for symptoms that may arise from a sacro iliac strain or subluxation.
7. Describe function of testes and prostate gland.
8. Discuss diet for three-year-old child.
9. A man weighing 150 pounds requires how many calories for sedentary life? How many for hard toil?
10. Why are antipyretics often contraindicated in fevers?
11. Discuss origin and fate of Glycogen.
12. What are antibodies? Where created? And what is function?
(Answer ten questions only.)

PHYSIOLOGY, CHEMISTRY AND HYGIENE.

Chiropradists.

October 21, 1920.

C. J. GADDIS, D. O.

1. Describe the skin and mention three of its functions.
2. What are the characteristics of good drinking water? What tests for same?
3. Diagram a cell and state chemical composition, how nourished.
4. What factors influence or control the sweat glands?
5. What is phagocytosis, osmosis, sebum, thermolysis, metabolism?
6. Give technique for collecting urine and four principal tests.
7. Name three enzymes, giving origin and function of each.
8. Discuss prophylaxis with relation to the feet.
9. Define organic chemistry, inorganic chemistry, physiological chemistry.